Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 06 Dec 2023 until 23:59 on Thursday 07 Dec 2023

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 05 Dec 2023 at 16:18

Confidence: High confidence at first, becoming moderate for the low pressure arriving on Thursday.

Headline for Wednesday 06 Dec 2023: Fog during the morning. Dry and bright for the afternoon, rain into the evening.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 06 Dec 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability							
10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	30%	60%	70%

Forecast for Wednesday 06 Dec 2023

Weather: Extensive fog possible at low levels through Wednesday morning, clearing into the afternoon as high cloud pushes in from the west, staying dry and bright. Low cloud and rain pushing in from the west late afternoon and evening, with increasing winds.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 60% reducing to 20% late afternoon

Low cloud and visibility: Scattered or broken low cloud base 500-700m pushing in from the west late afternoon. Visibility poor in morning fog, good during the afternoon, moderate in rain later.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	8/9 SE	8/11 SE	12/16 SE	15/22 SE	20/29 SE	22/31 SE	26/37 SE	30/42 SE	29/41 S
300	2/4 E	2/5 E	5/11 SE	5/12 SE	7/15 SE	12/26 SE	14/30 SE	17/36 SE	18/37 S
Valley	1/3 SE	3/7 E	4/6 N	4/9 E	6/12 E	7/19 SE	11/28 SE	14/33 SE	16/36 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	1/-2	1/-3	-0/-5	0/-5	1/-5	2/-4	3/-4	3/-3	4/-2
300	2/1	1/-1	0/-2	1/-1	3/0	4/0	5/1	6/1	6/2
Valley	2/1	1/-0	1/-1	2/-1	4/1	4/2	6/2	6/2	7/3
Freezing Level*	700m	700m	600m	600m	900m	1100m	1100m	1300m	1900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling cold, especially at height, be prepared with appropriate layers.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
15:00 on Tue 05 Dec 2023	0.2mm	15.2mm	22.4mm

Forecast for Thursday 07 Dec 2023

Weather: Heavy rain spreading northeast during the early hours, soon easing and becoming patchy, before further heavy rain arrives from the southwest during the afternoon. Drier with clear spells into the evening. Strong winds throughout.

Maximum wind: Southeasterly 20-30 mph, gusting 35-40 mph

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 20% increasing to 80% by late afternoon

Low cloud and visibility: Scattered or broken low cloud base 500-700m, lowering to 400m at times during the morning, becoming few by late afternoon. Visibility moderate in rain, poor in hill fog, good during drier interludes.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 7 to 10 Celsius
At 600m: Plus 4 to 7 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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